

Unemployment Statistics

County: Banks

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	5.3 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	8,116
	Number Employed	October 2015	7,687
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	429
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	3,756
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$112,065,920
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$30,142
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$580
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	71
		Year to Date	598
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$27,568
		Year to Date	\$368,617
		CY 2014	\$522,171
9	First Payments	October 2015	17
		Year to Date	210
		CY 2014	293
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$251
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	7.5

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County: Dawson

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	4.9 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	10,921
	Number Employed	October 2015	10,385
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	536
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	7,593
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$202,125,021
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$26,915
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$518
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	35
		Year to Date	400
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$58,133
		Year to Date	\$524,591
		CY 2014	\$762,822
9	First Payments	October 2015	18
		Year to Date	191
		CY 2014	281
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$267
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	9.8

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County: Forsyth

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	4.4 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	98,661
	Number Employed	October 2015	94,347
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	4,314
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	69,163
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$3,206,094,725
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$47,242
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$909
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	204
		Year to Date	2,323
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$394,131
		Year to Date	\$4,081,829
		CY 2014	\$5,965,892
9	First Payments	October 2015	116
		Year to Date	1,362
		CY 2014	1,754
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$281
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	10.9

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County: Franklin

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	5.8 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	9,262
	Number Employed	October 2015	8,729
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	533
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	7,484
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$232,564,093
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$33,029
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$635
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	76
		Year to Date	1,003
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$43,762
		Year to Date	\$586,308
		CY 2014	\$957,046
9	First Payments	October 2015	33
		Year to Date	392
		CY 2014	536
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$224
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	6.6

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County: Habersham

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	5.3 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	18,935
	Number Employed	October 2015	17,926
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	1,009
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	14,520
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$464,218,775
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$32,224
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$620
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	199
		Year to Date	2,328
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$89,403
		Year to Date	\$1,133,723
		CY 2014	\$1,788,228
9	First Payments	October 2015	50
		Year to Date	737
		CY 2014	1,121
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$233
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	6.6

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County: Hall

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	4.7 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	90,282
	Number Employed	October 2015	86,033
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	4,249
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	79,393
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$3,313,010,687
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$42,635
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$820
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	480
		Year to Date	4,942
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$362,604
		Year to Date	\$4,016,247
		CY 2014	\$6,395,566
9	First Payments	October 2015	164
		Year to Date	1,921
		CY 2014	2,966
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$253
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	8.6

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County: Hart

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	6 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	10,305
	Number Employed	October 2015	9,687
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	618
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	6,033
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$209,652,473
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$35,197
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$677
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	84
		Year to Date	1,105
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$49,865
		Year to Date	\$593,635
		CY 2014	\$952,869
9	First Payments	October 2015	25
		Year to Date	408
		CY 2014	574
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$210
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	7.4

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County: Lumpkin

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	5.1 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	15,307
	Number Employed	October 2015	14,519
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	788
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	6,892
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$218,571,517
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$31,901
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$613
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	46
		Year to Date	649
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$52,355
		Year to Date	\$576,699
		CY 2014	\$860,959
9	First Payments	October 2015	20
		Year to Date	299
		CY 2014	384
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$249
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	7.9

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Unemployment Statistics

County: Rabun

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	6.3 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	6,387
	Number Employed	October 2015	5,987
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	400
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	4,817
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$133,124,497
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$28,941
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$557
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	21
		Year to Date	329
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$21,127
		Year to Date	\$318,943
		CY 2014	\$456,761
9	First Payments	October 2015	8
		Year to Date	172
		CY 2014	202
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$267
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	7.8

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County: Stephens

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	6 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	10,635
	Number Employed	October 2015	9,999
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	636
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	9,139
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$329,368,047
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$36,222
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$697
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	91
		Year to Date	1,121
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$47,794
		Year to Date	\$728,682
		CY 2014	\$1,128,860
9	First Payments	October 2015	35
		Year to Date	395
		CY 2014	652
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$232
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	8.5

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County: Towns

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	6.5 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	4,197
	Number Employed	October 2015	3,924
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	273
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	3,292
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$91,245,086
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$27,202
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$523
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	10
		Year to Date	153
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$7,476
		Year to Date	\$136,323
		CY 2014	\$265,012
9	First Payments	October 2015	2
		Year to Date	50
		CY 2014	101
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$249
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	11.5

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County: Union

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	5 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	9,558
	Number Employed	October 2015	9,077
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	481
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	6,677
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$206,083,075
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$31,672
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$609
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	27
		Year to Date	441
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$32,651
		Year to Date	\$372,175
		CY 2014	\$537,085
9	First Payments	October 2015	15
		Year to Date	172
		CY 2014	233
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$240
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	9.1

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County: White

October 2015

1	Statewide Trust Fund Balance	11/24/15	\$974,977,843
2	Unemployment Rate	October 2015	4.6 %
3	Number of Workers in Labor Force	October 2015	14,027
	Number Employed	October 2015	13,380
	Number Unemployed	October 2015	647
4	Number of Insured Employees	QE 6/30/15	7,078
5	Total Covered Wages	YE 6/30/15	\$219,902,763
6	Average Annual Wages (all industries)	YE 6/30/15	\$31,402
	Average Weekly Wages (all industries)		\$604
7	Initial Claims *	October 2015	70
		Year to Date	765
8	Benefits Paid	October 2015	\$34,578
		Year to Date	\$529,731
		CY 2014	\$914,573
9	First Payments	October 2015	19
		Year to Date	288
		CY 2014	407
10	Average Weekly Benefit Amount	October 2015	\$244
11	Average Duration of Benefits (in weeks)	October 2015	8.4

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